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MEMORANDUM TO: Assistant Director, Office of Reports and Estimates

SUBJECT:

ORE Liaison with the Office of AC/AS-2

Problem

1. To complete action on negotiations with A-2 regarding the establishment of procedures governing OFE-A-2 limiten.

Facts and Discussion

- 2. Planning Staff has obtained A-2 approval of proposed ORG-A-2 lisison procedures from Colonel Millard Levis, Executive, AC/2 2

 . Approval was granted by A-2 on 7 November 19.6, subsequent to discussion at the daily staff meeting conducted by the Deputy A-2 and the A-2 Division Chiefs.
- 3. Accordingly, Planning Staff has prepared for your approval and signature a memorandum for the AC/AS-2, subject as above, transmitting:
 - a. A list of ORE personnel authorized to arrange for contacts with A-2 personnel on air intelligence aspects of CIO reports and estimates.
 - b. A copy of cited procedures, approved by A-2, but not as yet officially confirmed by the Assistant Director, ORE.
- 4. It should be noted that cited procedures differ from these negotiated with the State Department, the Intelligence Division, Whi, and the Office of Naval Intelligence in the following respects:
 - a. Direct contact between personnel at the operating level is not deemed feasible at this time by A-2, in view of the fact that A-2 is organized on a functional basis at branch level with geographic subdivisions within each Branch. As a result each ORE Branch Chief has five (5) opposite numbers, each dealing with a particular item of Air Intelligence. A-2 believes that, for the time being, ORE interests can be better served if all our inquiries are cleared through

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one designated incividual in each case, in order to insure the full A-2 coverage is obtained. Accordingly, the list of ONE personnel authorized to arrange for contacts with A-2 personnel has been limited below the Staff level to Chiefs of Branches.

- b. It was deemed advisable to recognize the provisions of CIG Administrative Order No. 32 in order to clarify special A-2 clearance procedures on finished ORE estimates.
- 4. While these procedures appear to be "tight" from an DRE viewpoint, it is believed that they will be modified in our favor a operational contacts with A-2 increase.

Conclusions

- 5. This is the best deal we can make with A-2 at this time.
- 6. Cited procedures are in full conformity with

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Action Recommended

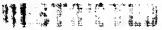
- 7. That the Assistant Director, ORE:
 - a. Sign the attached memorandum for the AC/AS-2.
- b. Authorize Planning Staff to implement procedures set forth in Inclosure No. 2 to the attached memorandum.

Subsequent Action Required

8. If action indicated in paragraph 7a and b is accomplished, Planning Staff will advise ICAPS and ORE Staff and Branch Chizes of action taken.

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MEMORANDUM TO: Assistant Chief, Air Staff-2

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2. Copies of the memorandum for All Brauch Chiefs, "Fale, subject: Liaison Procedures with SC/AS-2, are furnished for you information and retention.

3. In view of the approval by your office of the above mentioned procedures, the memorandum referred to in paragraph 2 above, is effective within C.F.E. this date.

J. KLAHR HEDLE Assistant Sirector Reports and Estimates

2 Incls.

Incl. 1, List of O.R.E. Perconnel
Authorised to Arrange for Contacts
with Office AC/AS-2 (2 copies)
Incl. 2, Liaison Procedure With AC/AS-2 (2 copies)

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1. Informal contact by C.B.s. personnel with the with me on AC/AS-2, Headquarters, AAF, is suthorized, subject to proceed to be listed below, for the purpose of discussing satters per anning to air intelligence which are se in the preparation of (1) 4 total 1 gence studies and summaries.

2. Staff and branch Chiefs are requested to arrange all retacts with AC/AS-2 personnel through the Chief, Air Intelligence Requirements livision (2rig. General N. B. Harbold,

3. It should be noted that the Uffice of AD/AS-2 is organised on a functional basis at Branch level, with geographic sections within each Branch. Accordingly, coordination of individual contacts within AC/AS-2 is required at the Division level in order to insure that III matters are referred to the magner office.

h. Staff and branch Chiefs are requested to utiling established OCAD channels to meet O-M requirements for intelliging information and finished Air Intelligence Studies and Est. Hates produced by AC/AS-2. Should a necessity arise to request the preparation, by AC/AS-2, of written air intelligence reports, estimates and official expressions of AC/AS-2 ordaions, Staff and Breach Chiefs should prepare such requests in writing over the signature of the Assistant Birector. U.A.z. to the Office of AC/AS-2 after having accortained that such data is not alruady available.

Nothing in this memorandum is intended to conflict with procedures established in CR: Administrative Order No. 32, which provides for personal representatives of the numbers of Litabligence Advisory Board to act for their Chiefs in reviewing Oil intelligence estimates for the purpose of concurring, or obtained a dissenting opinions.

> Acting Chief Planning Staff

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